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COVID-19 UPDATE

- COVID-19 hospitalizations have doubled over last three weeks
- Convergence of the flu, Delta and Omicron variants could lead to further spiking metrics

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The most
important thing
you can do is get a
booster shot.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE FOR A BOOSTER?

What did
you get?

When can you
get a booster?

Who is eligible
for a booster?

Pfizer

6 months after
2nd dose

Moderna

**Johnson &
Johnson**

2 months after
single dose

**18 years
and older**



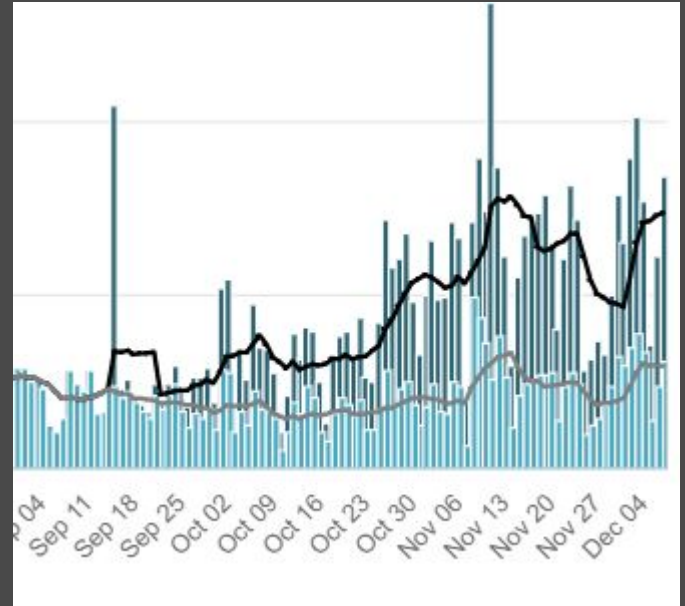
Call 855-MDGOVAX or visit covidvax.maryland.gov
to schedule your booster appointment.

GoVAX
Let's end COVID, Maryland.


Maryland
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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Marylanders are
answering our call
to get booster
shots.



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Additional COVID-19 Actions

- Working closely with hospital partners to promote **monoclonal antibody therapy**
- Introducing emergency legislation to give hospitals tools to address **staffing shortages**

Emergency Crime Bills

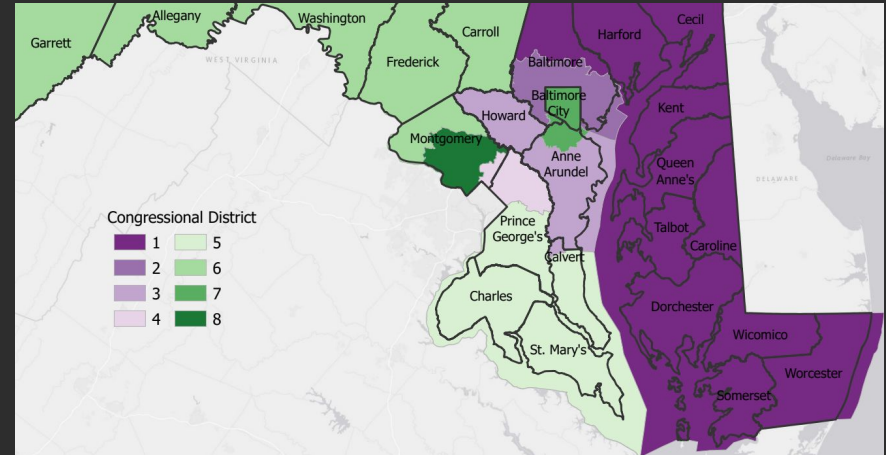
- **Violent Firearms Offender Act** will increase tougher sentences for violent offenders who commit crimes with firearms
- **Judicial Transparency Act** will publish sentencing records of judges in violent crime cases

Overwhelming Majority of Marylanders Support These Crime Bills

	Violent Firearms Offender Act	Judicial Transparency Act
Statewide Support	81%	84%
Baltimore City Support	69%	79%
African-American Support	75%	86%

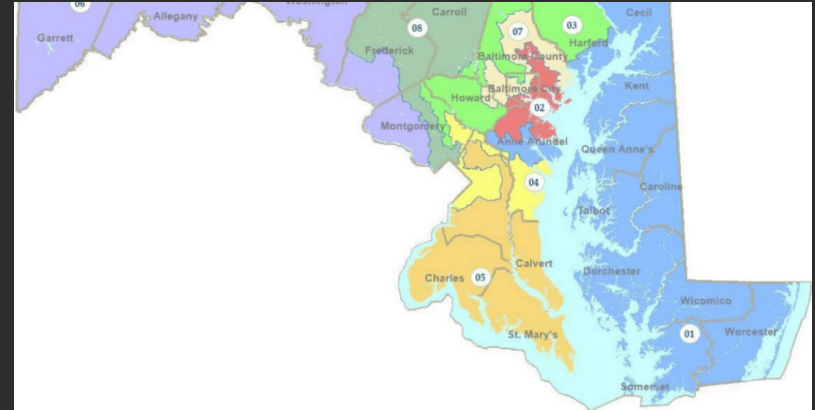
Maryland Citizens Redistricting Commission Maps

- Fair, transparent, accountable process
- **'A' rating** from Princeton Gerrymandering Project



Politicians' Maps Have Been Universally Panned

- Secretive, rigged, predetermined process
- Run by politicians and party bosses
- **'F' rating** from Princeton



The Washington Post

Maryland Democrats' race to the bottom



Biden's DOJ is suing Texas for gerrymandering, but will it go after blue states for the same thing?

Newsweek

Gerrymandering Should Be Opposed By Both Parties

"It's been Baltimore that's been chopped at and bitten at in 1990 and 2000 and 2010, and here we go now in 2020. So the city can't give anymore."

-Rep. Kweisi Mfume (D-MD)

**We are calling on the Biden
Administration to immediately
add Maryland to its lawsuit
against Texas.**

If you think this congressional map is bad, just wait until you see what they plan to do with the **legislative maps.**

I am vetoing these **disgracefully
gerrymandered, illegal maps**, which
are a shameful violation of state and
federal law.



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